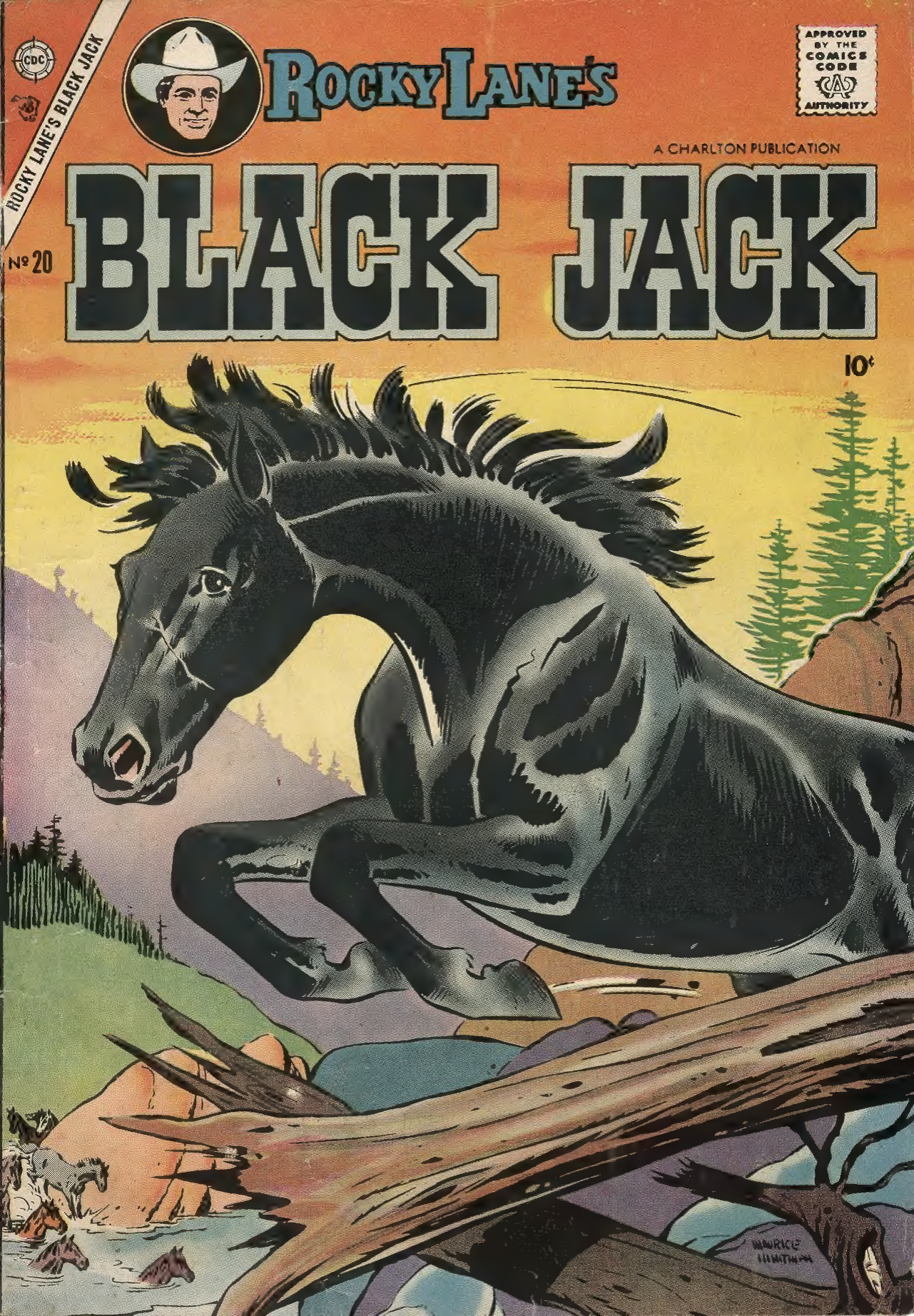
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VANCE LILLIS SAID HE'D PAY HEAVY IF I... IT'S LANE'S HORSE! KEEP AWAY!

BLACKJACK DIDN'T ORDINARILY BOTHER WITH PEOPLE... BUT WHEN THE YOUNG RIDER SHARED AN APPLE WITH HIM AND SCRATCHED HIS NOSE, HE DECIDED TO BE FRIENDS! AND BLACKJACK COULD BE A VERY GOOD FRIEND, AS SLADE BARNES LEARNED WHEN LEAD BEGAN TO FLY...

GET HIM, BLACKJACK! YUH GOT HERE JUST IN TIME!

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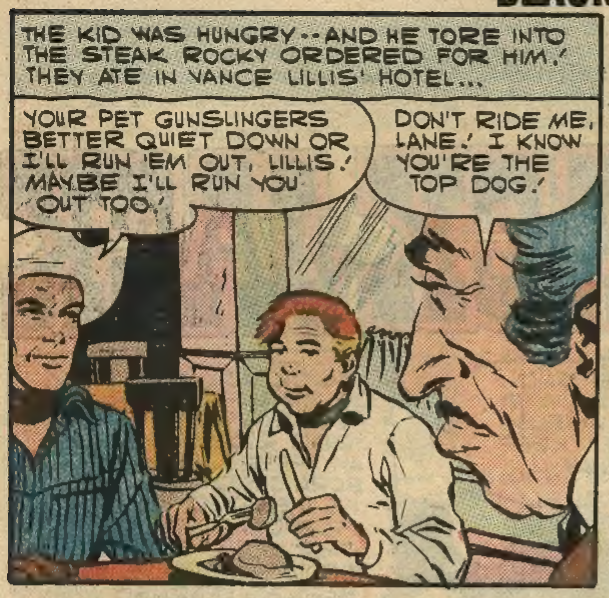
SLADE BARNES DIDN'T KNOW ANYONE IN TOWN... AND HE WAS A LONESOME KID WHEN HE SPIED BLACKJACK...

THAT KID LOOKS LIKE TROUBLE, ROCKY! DRIFTERS MOST ALWAYS ARE!

IF BLACKJACK LIKES HIM, THE KID'S OKAY! AND HE DOES!

HE'S SURE A NICE CRITTER, MISTER! IS HE YOURS?

SORT OF! WE KINDA BELONG TO EACH OTHER! NOW, YOU FED BLACKJACK, HOW ABOUT HAVIN' CHOW WITH ME?


THE KID WAS HUNGRY--AND HE TORE INTO THE STEAK ROCKY ORDERED FOR HIM.' THEY ATE IN VANCE LILLIS' HOTEL...
YOUR PET GUNSLINGERS BETTER QUIET DOWN OR I'LL RUN 'EM OUT, LILLIS.' MAYBE I'LL RUN YOU OUT TOO.'
DON'T RIDE ME, LANE.' I KNOW YOU'RE THE TOP DOG.'

GOT SOME CHORES, SLADE.' FINISH UP-- THE MEAL'S PAID FOR.'
THANKS, MARSHAL.' I SURE NEEDED A MEAL.'

VANCE LILLIS WAS BLAZING MAD AT ROCKY LANE-- BUT HE WAS AFRAID TO TACKLE HIM.' THE STRANGER LOOKED LIKE EASY PICKINGS...
JUST A MINUTE.' I WASN'T THROUGH.'
YUH ATE ENOUGH, SADDLE TRAMP.' GET OUT.'

YUH CAME IN HERE WITH LANE -- WE DON'T LIKE HIM.' I'M GONNA WORK YUH OVER.'
NO, YUH'RE NOT, LILLIS.'

I'LL TELL ROCKY LANE ABOUT THIS.' HE'LL HANDLE YUH, LILLIS.'

WHAT TH...?
YEOWW! THAT CONFOUNDED CROWBAIT RUINED THE PLAY!
BAM!
BLACKJACK SURE SAVED MY BACON! WANT ME TUH TURN HIM LOOSE AT YUH AGAIN?
KEEP HIM AWAY! HE BROKE MY ARM, I BET!
ROCKY LANE LAUGHED WHEN SLADE TOLD HIM WHAT HAPPENED! BUT THEN HE GOT SERIOUS...
LILLIS IS TRYING TO GET AT ME THROUGH YOU! BETTER KEEP AN EYE PEELED!
YEAH--MAYBE NEXT TIME BLACKJACK WON'T BE AROUND TUH SAVE ME!
LISTEN, YOU BAIT THE KID INTO A GUNFIGHT! LANE'LL COME ARUNNIN'! A 'STRAY' SLUG WILL GET THE MARSHAL!
I GET IT! WE'LL HAVE A MAN WITH A RIFLE HIDIN' SOMEWHERE!
THE SCHEME WENT SMOOTHLY! THE GUNMAN HAD NO PROBLEM FINDING TROUBLE WITH THE STRANGER...
YUH'RE A LIAR, MISTER! ROCKY LANE AIN'T A DRYGULCHER! YUH'LL EAT THAT LIE!
GET HIM, FLICK, HE'S...
I FIGURED I WAS TRAPPED!

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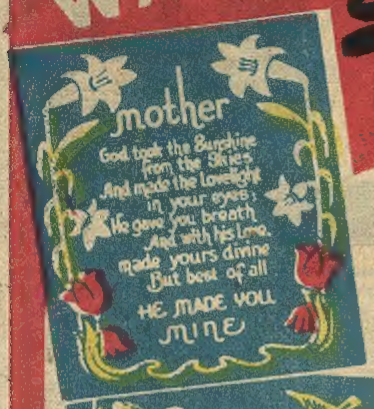

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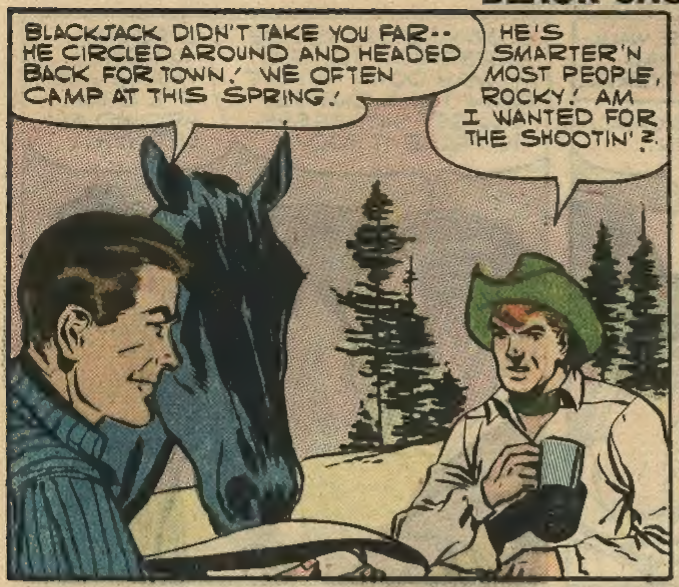
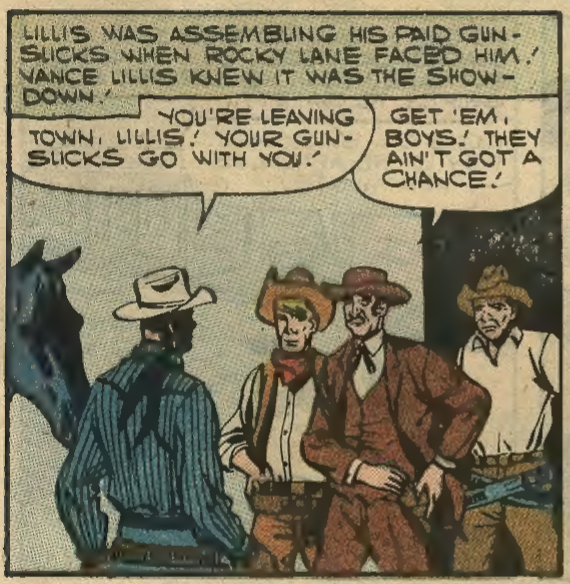
VANCE ULLIS FUMED HELPLESSLY WHILE SLADE WALKED TOWARD THE FENCE WHERE A GUNMAN HAD HIDDEN! A FAMILIAR NICKER CALLED HIM THERE...
SO--IT WAS AN AMBUSCADO! YUH SAVED ME AGAIN, BLACKJACK.!
I DEMAND THAT YOU BE ARRESTED! YUH SHOT MY MAN DOWN WITHOUT GIVIN' HIM A CHANCE! I'LL GET WITNESSES TO PROVE IT TOO!
I RECKON YUH CAN FRAME ME! IF I STICK AROUND AN' LET YUH...
BUT I'M LEAVIN' TOWN! TELL ROCKY LANE I'LL SEND HIS HORSE BACK LATER!
NO ONE IN TOWN HAD EVER SEEN BLACKJACK RIDDEN BY ANYONE ELSE BUT LANE! NOW, HE CARRIED SLADE SWIFTLY TO SAFETY...
COME ON, BLACKJACK! THEY'LL BE AFTER US IN A MINUTE!
LONG AFTER DARK, WHEN SLADE COULDN'T SEE A THING, BLACKJACK KEPT GOING! THEN, HE SAW A LIGHT AHEAD--A CAMPFIRE.
HOW ABOUT SHARIN' THE GRUB, MISTER? I'M STARVED!
YOU'RE ALWAYS HUNGRY, SLADE! HOW ARE YOU, BLACKJACK, OL' BUDDY?
HOW'D YUH GET HERE AHEAD O' ME? WE COVERED A LOT O' GROUND!

BLACK JACK


BLACKJACK DIDN'T TAKE YOU FAR-- HE CIRCLED AROUND AND HEADED BACK FOR TOWN.' WE OFTEN CAMP AT THIS SPRING.'
HE'S SMARTER'N MOST PEOPLE, ROCKY.' AM I WANTED FOR THE SHOOTIN'?

LILLIS IS WORKING UP A CASE AGAINST YOU.' HE'S AFTER MY HIDE TOO.' WE'LL RIDE INTO TOWN IN THE MORNING.'


LILLIS WAS ASSEMBLING HIS PAID GUN-SLICKS WHEN ROCKY LANE FACED HIM.' VANCE LILLIS KNEW IT WAS THE SHOW-DOWN.'
YOU'RE LEAVING TOWN, LILLIS.' YOUR GUN-SLICKS GO WITH YOU.'
GET 'EM, BOYS.' THEY AIN'T GOT A CHANCE.'

BLACKJACK SENSED DANGER FOR HIS MASTER.' HE CHARGED LIKE A BLACK THUNDERBOLT...
LOOK OUT.' LANE'S STALLION IS ON THE LOOSE.'

CALL HIM OFF.' HE'S LOCO.'
HE'S ANNOYED, THAT'S ALL.' HE DOESN'T LIKE FOLKS WHO SHOOT AT ME.'

LATER, AFTER BLACKJACK HAD AN EXTRA RATION OF GRAIN AND A NICE APPLE...
THIS HORSE SURE SAVED MY HIDE.' I'D GIVE A YEAR'S PAY FOR HIM IF I HAD A JOB.'
I'LL GET YOU A JOB -- BUT I WON'T SELL BLACKJACK.' LUCKY FOR YOU, HE TOOK A LIKIN' TO YOU.'
END

PUNCH DRUNK PAWLEY

HOWDY, PAWLEY! I HAVEN'T SEEN YUH IN A LONG TIME! WHAT ARE YUH DOING THESE DAYS?
HAVEN'T YUH HEARD.... I'M A PROFESSIONAL PRIZE FIGHTER!
A PROFESSIONAL PRIZE FIGHTER?
YUP! I'VE HAD FOUR BOUTS ALREADY, AN' I'D BE UNDEFEATED...
...IF I HADN'T LOST TWO OF THEM!
!!!
SAY, WHAT'S THAT BIG BOOK YO'RE CARRYING?
OH THIS? I KEEP A RECORD OF ALL MUH FIGHTS IN IT!
I SEE.... A SCRAP BOOK!
!

VOUCHING VARDON

I PROTEST, YOUR HONOR! I HAD NO RIGHT TO BE ARRESTED! I HAPPENED TO BE AT THE BANK WHEN IT WAS ROBBED, BUT I HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH IT!
OH YES? HOW DO I KNOW THAT YOU'RE NOT ONE OF THE CROOKS?
BY MY REPUTATION, THAT'S HOW! ANYBODY WILL TELL YUH I'M A GOOD HONEST CITIZEN!
IS THAT SO? WELL, NAME SOMEONE WHO CAN VOUCH FOR YOUR GOOD CHARACTER!
NAME SOMEONE WHO CAN VOUCH FOR MY GOOD CHARACTER?
SHORE...THE SHERIFF!
HUH, ME? BUT JUDGE, I DON'T EVEN KNOW HIM!
SEE, JUDGE, I COULDN'T FIND A BETTER HOMBRE TO VOUCH FOR ME.... I'VE BEEN LIVING IN THIS TOWN FOR TWENTY YEARS AND THE SHERIFF DOESN'T EVEN KNOW ME!
HA, HA, I RECKON THAT PROVES YOUR CHARACTER! YOU'RE DISMISSED!

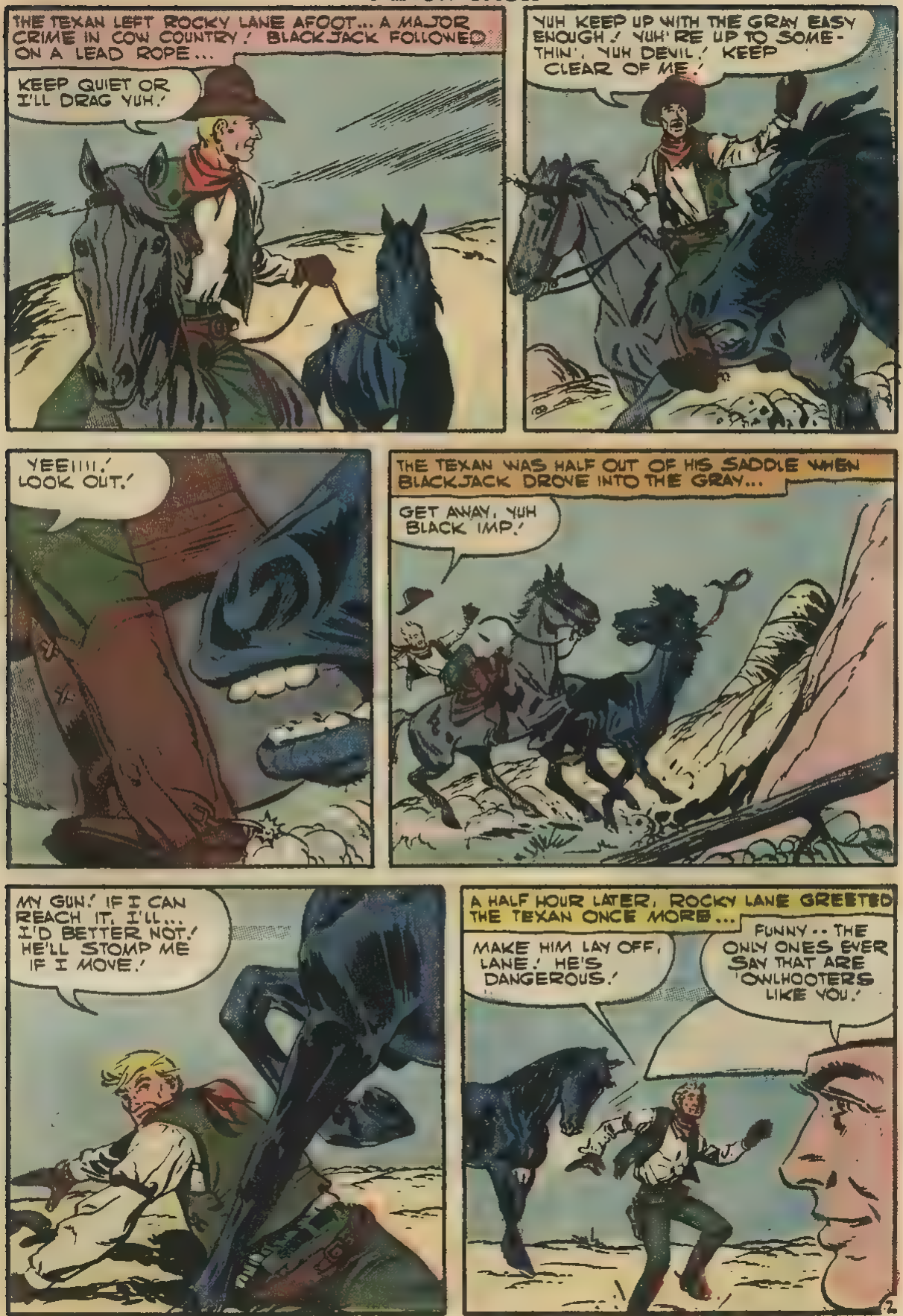
ROCKY LANE'S BLACK JACK

TEXAS RINGER

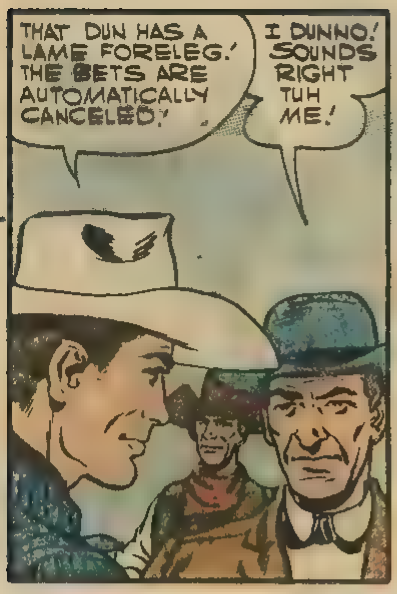
THE TEXAN WITH THE LEAN GRAY HORSE HAD A MEAN EYE... AND ROCKY LANE THOUGHT HE'D SEEN THAT HATCHET FACE SOMEWHERE BEFORE! BUT IT WASN'T UNTIL EVERY DOLLAR IN TOWN WAS BET AGAINST THE GRAY THAT HE REMEMBERED! AND THEN IT WAS TOO LATE!

HOLD THAT BLACK DEVIL TILL I GET MOUNTED! I'M TAKIN' HIM ALONG TUH MAKE SURE YUH DON'T FOLLOW MY TRAIL!
JUST REMEMBER I TOLD YUH... YUH WON'T GET FAR!

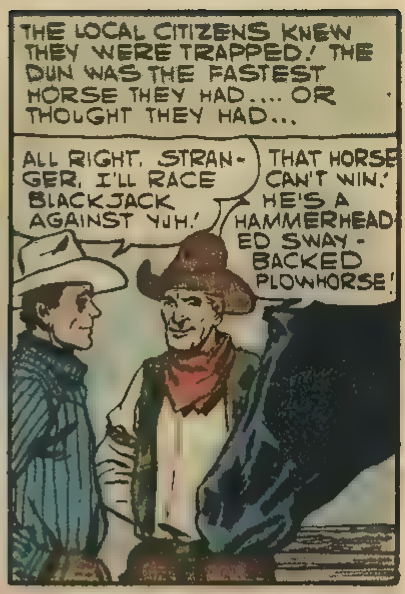
BLACK JACK


THE TEXAN LEFT ROCKY LANE AFOOT... A MAJOR CRIME IN COW COUNTRY! BLACKJACK FOLLOWED ON A LEAD ROPE...
KEEP QUIET OR I'LL DRAG YUH.'
YUH KEEP UP WITH THE GRAY EASY ENOUGH! YUH'RE UP TO SOMETHIN', YUH DEVIL.' KEEP CLEAR OF ME.'
YEEIIII.' LOOK OUT.'
THE TEXAN WAS HALF OUT OF HIS SADDLE WHEN BLACKJACK DROVE INTO THE GRAY...
GET AWAY, YUH BLACK IMP.'
MY GUN.' IF I CAN REACH IT, I'LL... I'D BETTER NOT.' HE'LL STOMP ME IF I MOVE.'
A HALF HOUR LATER, ROCKY LANE GREETED THE TEXAN ONCE MORE...
MAKE HIM LAY OFF, LANE.' HE'S DANGEROUS.'
FUNNY -- THE ONLY ONES EVER SAY THAT ARE 'OWLHOOTERS LIKE YOU.'

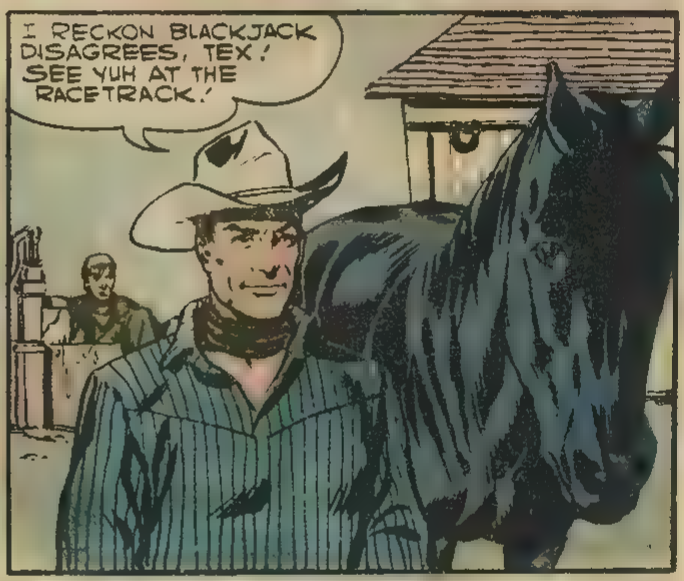
THE TEXAN WAS JAILED -- BUT A SHADY LAWYER APPEARED AND HAD HIM OUT ON BAIL...
YOU WERE STUPID! WHY DIDN'T YOU WAIT? WE'LL CLEAN UP ON YOUR GRAY RACER! YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO STEAL
IT LOOKED EASY! I'D O' GOT AWAY WITH IT EXCEPT FOR BLACKJACK!
HEAR THAT, BLACKJACK? THERE'S A RACE HORSE IN TOWN -- AND THOSE TWO TINHORNS ARE OUT TO MAKE A KILLING!
YOU'RE A RANGE HORSE, BLACKJACK, NOT A RACE HORSE! BUT MAYBE YOU'LL BE BOTH IF THESE SHARPIES SUCKER FOLKS INTUH BETTIN'!
THE TEXAN AND THE SHADY LAWYER WORKED FAST! LOCAL MONEY WAS BEING BET ON A FAST DUN BELONGING TO THE STABLE OWNER...
ONE HUNDRED MORE ON THE DUN HORSE, TEX! MAYBE THE DUN WILL BEAT YOUR GRAY?
HE WON'T, LAWYER!
THAT DUN LOOKED SORE-LEGGED TUH ME WHEN I SEEN HIM!
THE BETTING WENT ON! THE LAWYER HAD LOCAL TOUGHS COLLECTING BETS TOO! LASH DID HIS BEST TO WARN FOLKS...
SHUT UP, LANE! IT'S NONE OF... UNGH!
IF I THINK THE RACE IS RIGGED, I'LL SAY SO!


THAT DUN HAS A LAME FORELEG! THE BETS ARE AUTOMATICALLY CANCELED!
I DUNNO! SOUNDS RIGHT TUH ME!

WE DIDN'T SPECIFY WHICH HORSE MY GRAY WOULD BEAT! WE BET ON THE GRAY AGAINST ANY HORSE!


THE LOCAL CITIZENS KNEW THEY WERE TRAPPED! THE DUN WAS THE FASTEST HORSE THEY HAD.... OR THOUGHT THEY HAD...
ALL RIGHT, STRANGER, I'LL RACE BLACKJACK AGAINST YUH!
THAT HORSE CAN'T WIN! HE'S A HAMMERHEADED SWAY-BACKED PLOWHORSE!

LOOK OUT! GET HIM AWAY!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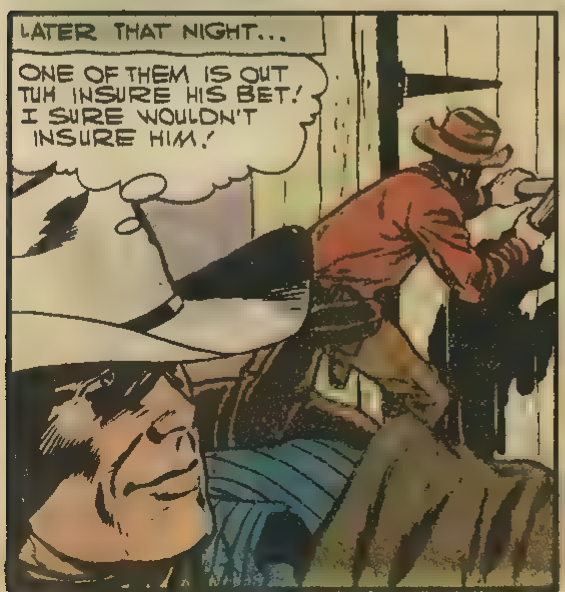
LATER THAT NIGHT...
ONE OF THEM IS OUT TUH INSURE HIS BET! I SURE WOULDN'T INSURE HIM!

BLACK JACK

THE ENTIRE TOWN TURNED OUT FOR THE RACE! THE TEXAN WAS LIGHT AND RODE LIKE A JOCKEY...
DOWN TO THE COTTONWOOD OUTSIDE OF TOWN, THEN BACK! THAT'S ABOUT A MILE!
THE GRAY HELD THE LEAD AS FAR AS THE COTTONWOOD--THEN BLACK JACK SURGED PAST! AT THE FINISH LINE HE HELD A TWO LENGTH LEAD...
BLACK JACK WON EASY! WHERE'S THAT LAWYER AND THE MONEY?
THE LAWYER HAD A START-- BUT IT DID HIM NO GOOD...
SOME FOLKS WANTA SEE YUH, LAWYER!
THAT'S IT, BLACK JACK! HERD 'IM BACK TO THE MEN HE TRIED TO SWINDLE!
YUH GOOFED, LAWYER! YUH SAID THERE WASN'T A GOOD HORSE IN TOWN!
HOW DID I KNOW BLACK-JACK WOULD BE HERE? HE MADE THAT TEXAS RINGER OF YOURS LOOK LIKE A TURTLE!
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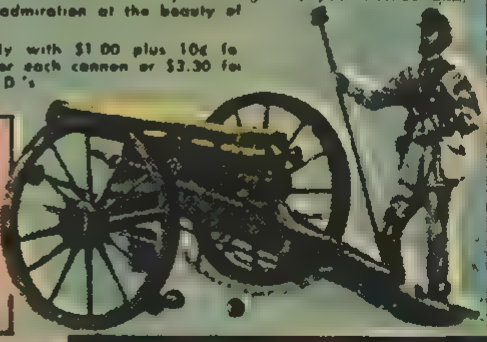

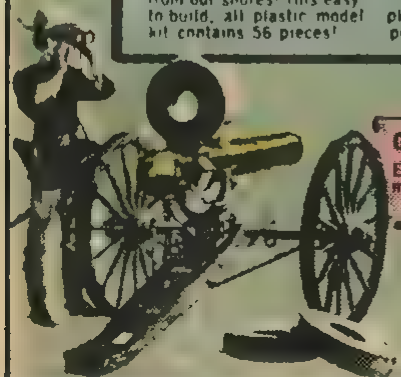

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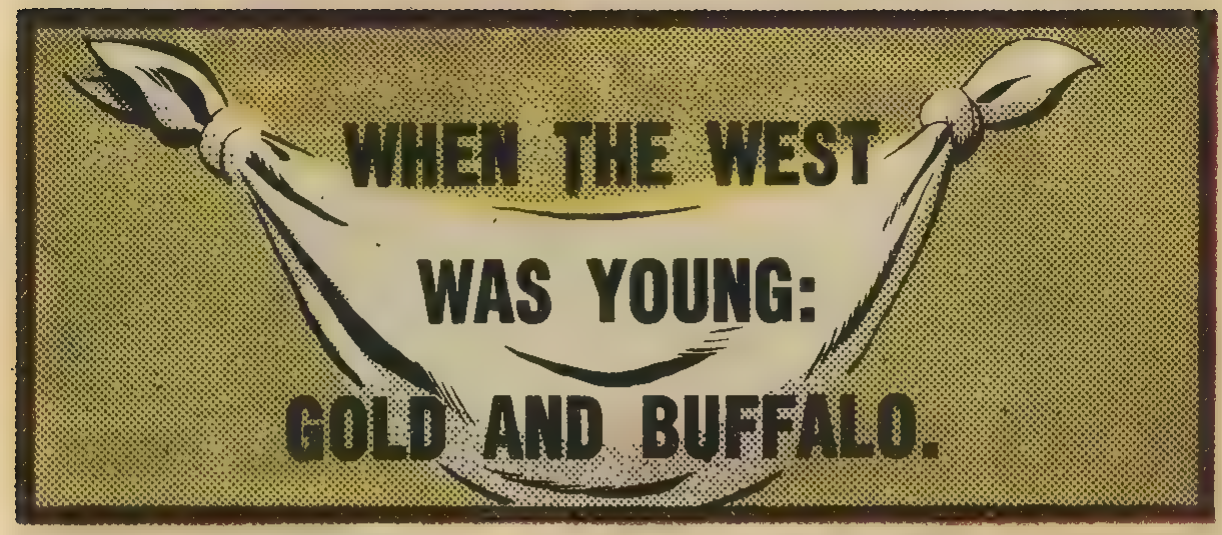

I first met Sheriff Ben Worster some thirty years ago. A mutual friend introduced us. The famous law man was then about eighty years. He had retired and was living comfortably on a pension and investments. Until his death we saw each other constantly and many an interesting story he told me about his younger days when the West was wild.

"When the news about the discovery of gold reached the East from California," the Sheriff told me one evening, "it gave rise to a lot of rumors. Was it true that a man had found a nugget the size of his head? Could you make the overland trip without fighting the Indians? How many guns should a man take with him?

So Horace Greely, of the Tribune, sent Bayrad Taylor out to California to find out exactly what was what. Now there was one story that had been spread all over Europe. Namely, that the streets were golden. You just stopped everything you were doing, got your self a shovel, started to dig, and that was how you earned a day's pay.

Fantastic? That is what you might say, but it really happened! Bayard Taylor landed in San Francisco. He was walking down the street before the United States Hotel, when he saw the impossible taking place before his very eyes. A dozen men were actually digging up the earth with knives and crumbling it in their hands. Then they would blow the fine dirt carefully and a few specks of gold would be the net profit. A gold hunter would earn about five dollars a day in this manner.

Bayard Taylor was puzzled as to what to do. Should he write that there actually was gold in he streets because he had seen it? If he did this then two things might happen. A lot of people would call him the biggest liar in California. Or a lot of people might start for the western coast to dig down into the streets for gold.

He had seen the gold and he decided to do some checking. He learned that the gold was the result of leakings from miners' bags and the sweepings from the stores. Miners paid out gold dust in the store. Some dust got onto the floors of the stores. Then the owners of the stores would sweep out the dirt and gold dust into the streets. So technically speaking, there was gold in the streets and you could dig for it.

Horace Greely decided to visit the West himself. When he stepped off the stage coach that brought him to Denver in May of the year 1859, he found the people of that city excited by a gold strike at nearby Gregory Gulch.

During the festivities that entertained him, Horace Greely remarked that he doubted the existence of such a mine. And that he would have to see for himself and pan some of the dirt. His mining hosts eagerly urged him to do so. The editor of the Tribune agreed to make the inspection.

During the night the miner owners, with no thought of serious results, decided to play a joke on him. They sent a message to the foreman of the mine to "salt" it. That is, to load it down with gold dust where Horace Greely would be sure to find it. The next morning he went there and asked for a shovel and a pan. They explained to him how to dig for gold. When he got the gold he was thrilled. How could anyone spoil the fun and tell him the mine was "salted?" They decided to wait until he was ready to return back home. Guess it was an oversight and they forgot to tell him what they had done. Back in the Big City he printed the news about the gold, and he never knew what had really happened way back

there in Gregory Gulch.

While we are talking about gold and California, let me tell you about something different in windows. Sure, they went out to California to find gold, but while waiting to locate it, the miners had to have a roof over their heads. Some lived in tents, others in lean-to affairs and the local hotels were always filled up to capacity. The fortunate ones did have cabins. However, glass was a scarce commodity so the average cabin had to be dark. Why? No window glass.

Louise Fayette Clappe was living with her husband in their log cabin on Indian Bar. She was invited to dine at the best built log cabin on the river. It was situated on the hill and owned by five very intelligent and hard working miners. At that time there was a tremendous market in California for brandied fruits. That meant in turn — empty bottles.

These clever miners removed three feet of a log on one side of their cabin. The empty glass bottles were then inserted in its place. The space around the necks of the bottles were filled in with clay which caused Louise Fayette Clappe to remark that this novel idea was really an excellent substitute for window glass.

When you think of the West you also think of Buffalo. William Cody became known as "Buffalo Bill". Why? Because a railroad contractor had to feed meat to a hungry crew and Willam Cody took the contract to supply the meat. He helped to reduce our populaion of buffalo. But there was an opposite man in the West. He tried to kill a buffalo but failed. His name was Rueben Shaw.

On a July day, he joined a group of men going to hunt buffalo. They left before sunrise and in a short time sighted a large herd quietly grazing on the river bottom. The estimate was that the herd was about four miles away. The hunters managed to keep out of sight until they were within a mile of the animals. The buffalo spotted them and soon were in rapid motion for the hills. The mounted hunters thought to cut off the animals by taking advantage of the ground, but the buffalo beat them to the bluffs.

One result was that the horses became excited. Soon each hunter was alone in pursuit of the buffalo. An immense cloud of dust hung over the landscape. It was hard to distinguish a buffalo at even a range of thirty yards. The numerous gullies made rapid riding both difficult and dangerous.

Shaw soon found himself within twenty yards of a buffalo. He raised his rifle and fired. The buffalo kept on running and it was Shaw who fell off his horse. It seems the horse was not accustomed to the noise of guns. So when Shaw pulled the trigger of his rifle, the horse bolted. His clothing was ripped and his canteen crushed. His rifle was not injured but it was useless because his ammunition was on the runaway horse — also both of his pistols. He had to walk back to the valley. There he found his horse and joined the other hunters. It was his first and last hunt.

The pioneer western hunter who went after buffalo while riding his horse had to work out something different. He had to figure out a technique of loading and firing a muzzle loading gun without dismounting from his horse.

He held his gun within the bend of his left arm. Then, taking the powder horn in his right hand, he drew out the stopper with his teeth. The stopper was fastend to the horn to prevent it from being lost. He shook the required amount of gun powder into his left palm and then closed the powder horn.

He next grasped the gun with his right hand and held it in a vertical position. He poured the powder down the barrel. Next, he gave the gun a sidelong thrust with his left hand in order to shake the powder well through the priming hole into the touchpan.

All this time he had been holding the bullets in his mouth. He took one from his mouth with his left hand. Since it had been moistened by his spit, it adhered to the gunpowder. He dared not hold the gun horizontal because the ball might stick fast in its course. This would allow sufficient air to come between the powder and the lead, and his barrel would blow up. While doing all this he had to keep his horse going at full speed in chase of the buffalo.

Eventually the buffalo almost vanished from the plains. In the fall of 1907, the New York Zoological Society presented to the Wichita National Forest Reserve, a herd of fifteen bison. Bison is another name for buffalo. The animals were shipped from New York to Cache, Oklahoma by railroad — then hauled to the forest reserve in wagons. They arrived there on October 18th.

Mr. Frank Rush, the forest supervisor, notified the Indians about this great event. For two weeks many of them had camped with their families near the pastures to see the buffalo. When the big day arrived, they put on their best clothes and watched while the animals were liberated.

There was only one big problem: What to tell the little Indians about the animals they had never seen. So stories were told about the days when the red men were masters of the country. When they went out hunting the buffalo, and how the buffalo supplied them with clothing, food, and impliments. So strange as it seems, it was the East that sent the buffalo to the West."

Next time we meet, I will tell you more tales about the days "when the West was young" as told to me by Sheriff Ben Worster.

— THE END —

HORSES IN Action

THE KNIGHTS OF THE CRUSADES RODE WAR HORSES THAT DID MORE DAMAGE THAN THE MEN WHO RODE THEM. THEIR MIGHTY FORELEGS LASHED AT THE ENEMY AND THE WAR HORSES OFTEN TURNED THE TIDE OF BATTLE WHEN DEFEAT SEEMED INEVITABLE!
THE HORSE CHANGED THE HISTORY OF THE WEST! WITH THE HORSE THE SIOUX AND THE KIOWA CAME TO POWER THINNING OUT BUFFALO HERDS, RIDING SWIFTLY INTO BATTLE AGAINST THE WHITE SETTLERS!
THE HORSE, WITHOUT MAN'S TRAINING, IS A NATURAL BATTLER! A PACK OF TIMBER WOLVES CAN OVERPOWER ANY FOE.. EXCEPT HORSES BANDING TOGETHER AGAINST THEIR FOE!
Earl

BLACK JACK

THE LAST MAN ALIVE

THE DOGGO GANG STRUCK SWIFTLY AND HARD -- AND THEY DIDN'T LEAVE SURVIVORS TO TALK. BUT THEY MISSED ONCE... AND THAT EXHAUSTED, HURT HULK OF A MAN SWORE HE'D GET JUSTICE FOR THE OTHERS WHO DIDN'T SURVIVE!

I'LL GET YOU ALL... REMEMBER ME... I'LL COME FOR ALL OF YOU!
NEVER MIND HIM! THE TROOPERS ARE COMING!
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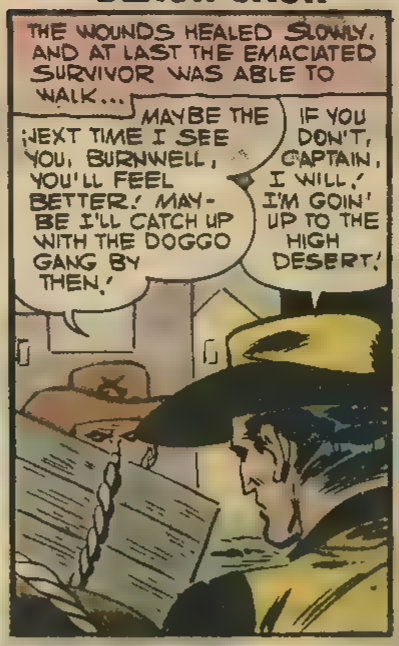
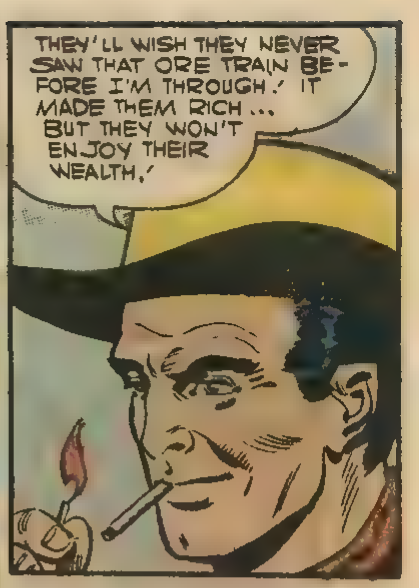
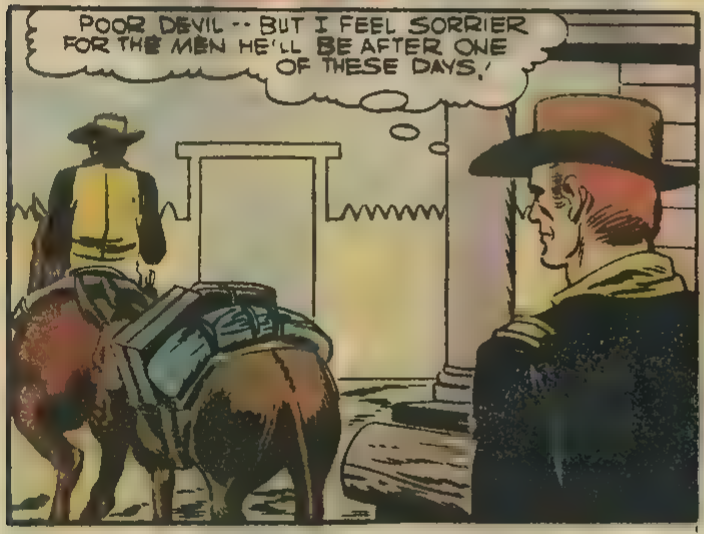
WHO DID IT? WHO ARE THEY? WAS IT THE DOGGO GANG?
YES... JUMPED US... SHOT THE ONES WHO... TRIED TO SURRENDER! I'M... TIRED...

BLACK JACK

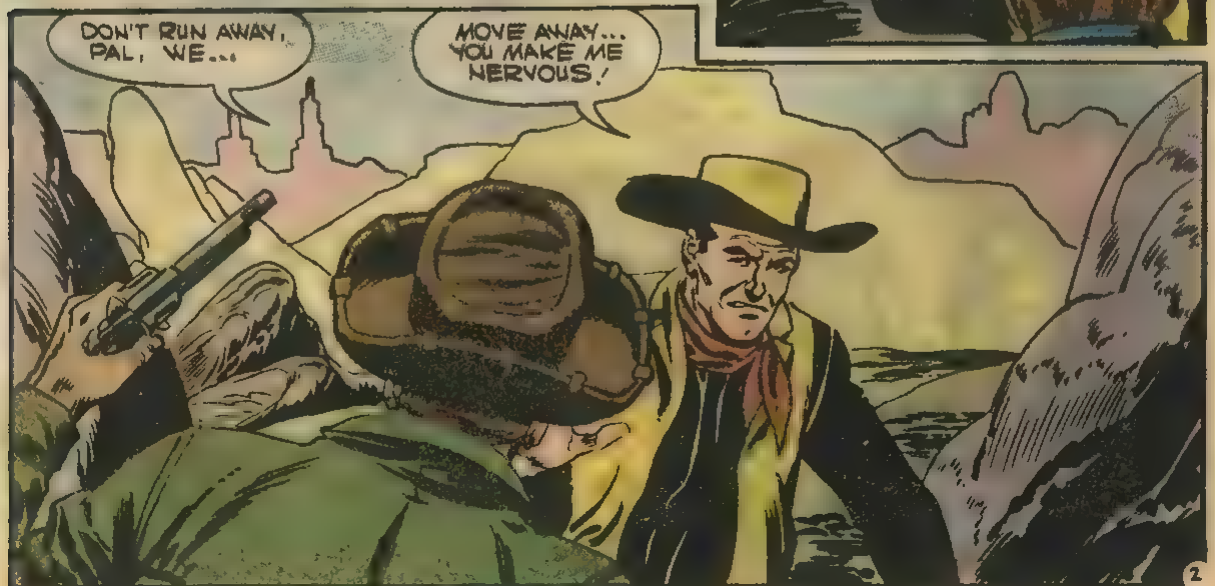
HYDE BURNWELL WAS UNCONSCIOUS FOR A WEEK...AND THE RAID WAS A NIGHTMARE HIS FEVERED MIND CLUNG TO EVERY MINUTE...
LOOK OUT! AAAAH! I'LL GET YOU! I'LL GET YOU ALL!
PLEASE, MR. BURNWELL; YOU MUST BE QUIET!


THE WOUNDS HEALED SLOWLY, AND AT LAST THE EMACIATED SURVIVOR WAS ABLE TO WALK...
MAYBE THE NEXT TIME I SEE YOU, BURNWELL, YOU'LL FEEL BETTER! MAYBE I'LL CATCH UP WITH THE DOGGO GANG BY THEN!
IF YOU DON'T, CAPTAIN, I WILL! I'M GOIN' UP TO THE HIGH DESERT!





NO ONE SAW OR SPOKE TO HYDE BURNWELL FOR FOURTEEN MONTHS! THEN A STRANGER RODE INTO A SOUTHWESTERN TOWN... AND IT WAS BURNWELL...



DON'T GET... AAAAHH!
I WARNED YOU--I DON'T LIKE PEOPLE WHO MAKE ME NERVOUS!
THE STRANGER MADE THE DRIFTERS UNCOMFORTABLE! HE PAID FOR A ROUND OF DRINKS IN GOLD DUST...
EVER HEAR OF ANY SLIMY BACKSHOOTERS WHO CALL THEMSELVES THE DOGGO GANG?
K-KEEP YORE DRINK, STRANGER! I-I'M NOT THIRSTY.
YOU SEEM TO BE ON THE PROD, FRIEND. GOT A JOB? NEED MONEY?
KEEP TALKIN', MISTER. MY NAME IS HYDE.
MY NAME IS MANLEY! YOU LOOK LIKE YOU CAN DO A JOB FOR ME THAT NEEDS DOIN'! YOU CAN USE A GUN, I TAKE IT...
SEE THE SHAVIN' MUG BY THE WINDOW?
WOW! HE GOT IT FROM THE HIP AND DREW LIKE LIGHTNIN'!
YEAH, MANLEY, I CAN USE A GUN.
WHO DO YOU WANT SHOT? SOME OF THE DOGGO GANG AMBUSHERS?
QUIT TALKIN' LIKE THAT! I GOT SOME NESTERS I WANT RUN OFF! YOU'LL SCARE 'EM OFF WITHOUT USIN' A GUN.
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HYDE WAS WORKING BLIND BUT HE HOPED SOME OF THE GANG WOULD HEAR HIS THREATS! MEANWHILE, HE DID MANLEY'S DIRTY WORK...

I C'N TELL YOU'RE A GUNSLINGER, MISTER! I WON'T FIGHT!

IF I WERE YOU, I'D STICK AROUND! MAYBE MANLEY WON'T LAST TOO LONG!

MAYBE THE DOGGO GANG WILL COME FOR HIM TOO! EVER HEAR OF THAT BUNCH OF SNAKES, MISTER?

EVERYBODY HAS! AND IT'S DANGEROUS TO TALK THAT WAY!

MAYBE FOR THEM! I FIGURE THEY'RE LAYIN' LOW, POSIN' AS SOLID CITIZENS! THERE'S TWENTY OF THEM AFRAID TO LOOK BACK! AND HAVIN' A GUY LIKE ME AROUND SPOUTIN' OFF OUGHTA MAKE THEM NERVOUS!

HYDE'S PLAN WAS CRAZY... BUT HE GOT RESULTS! HE WAS HEADING BACK TO TOWN WHEN THE DOGGO GANG'S ANSWER TO HIS THREATS WAS MADE...

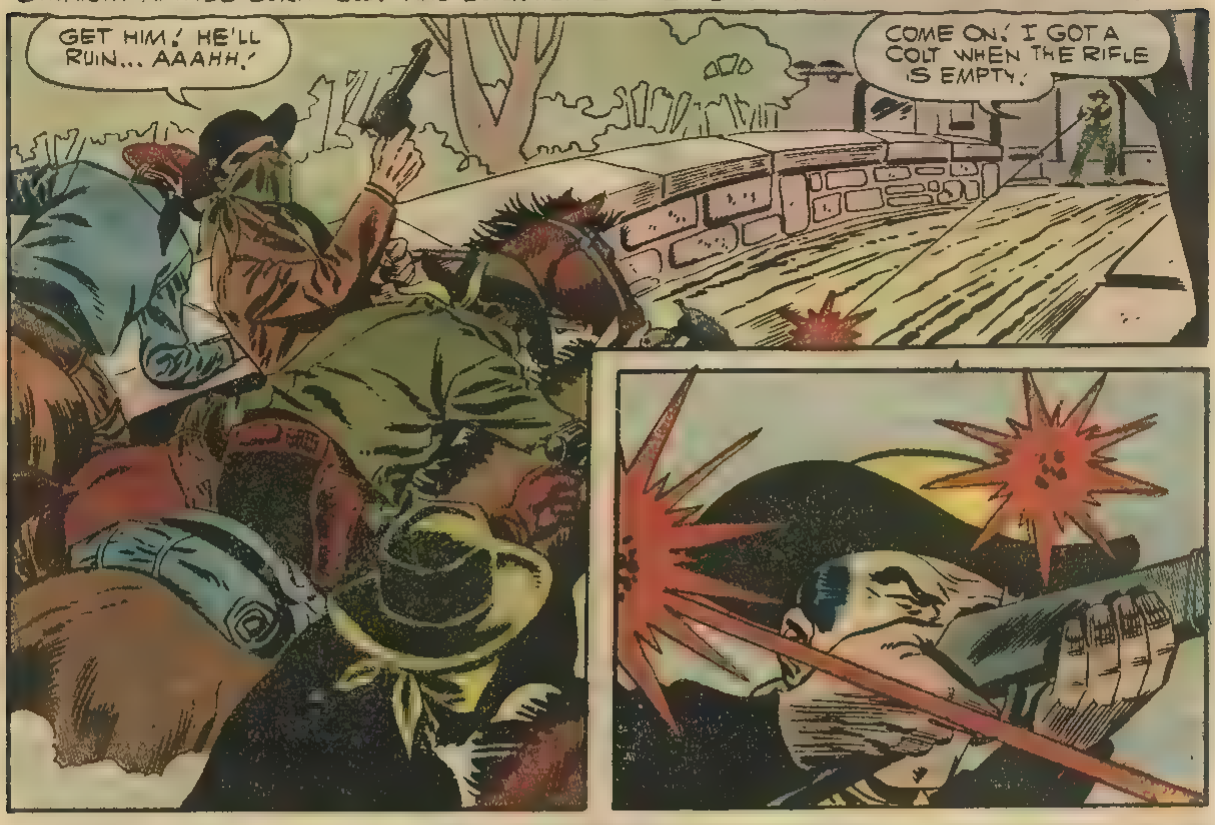
PING!

GOT ONE -- AND HE'S MASKED! IF I CAN JUST WING THE OTHER ONE, MAYBE HE'LL TALK!

THE SECOND BUSHWHACKER RAN FOR SAFETY. BUT HE COULDN'T OUTRUN HYDE BURNWELL'S ACCURATE BULLETS...
DON'T SHOOT! I'LL TALK! I'LL TALK PLENTY!
START TALKIN'! WHO'S IN THE GANG? WHERE IS THEIR HEAD-QUARTERS?
HE BABBLED ON...THEN HE FAINTED. HYDE PACKED HIM ON A HORSE AND HEADED FOR TOWN...
WHO'S...IT'S PEGGOT. WHAT HAPPENED, HYDE? DID HE TALK?
YEP, DIDN'T MAKE TOO MUCH SENSE THOUGH. MENTIONED 'DOBEY HILL.'
WAIT, HYDE! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
'DOBEY HILL'! ACCORDIN' TO THAT GENT, THE PLACE IS ROTTEN WITH GOLD FROM THE LOOTED ORE TRAIN.'
SUDDENLY THERE WAS ACTION ALL OVER TOWN! MEN WHO APPARENTLY HAD NOTHING IN COMMON SHOUTED TO EACH OTHER AND RAN FOR GUNS AND HORSES...
AND ONE MAN WAITED FOR THEM... IN THE RUINS OF A SPANISH HACIENDA CALLED 'DOBEY HILL...
I CAN HEAR THEM! THEY'RE COMIN' FAST! IT WON'T BE LIKE THE ORE TRAIN RAID AT ALL.'

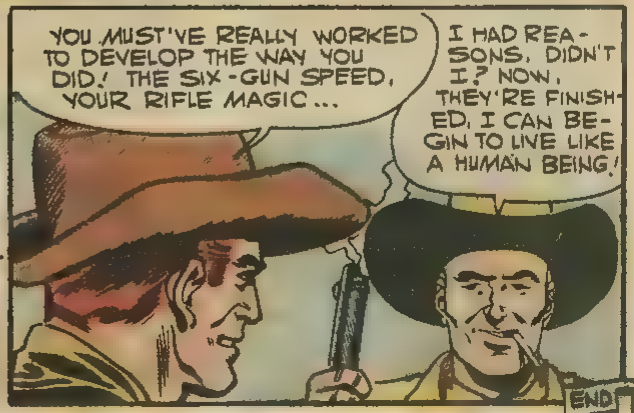
BLACK JACK

THERE WAS NO PAUSE, NO CONFERENCE! THE LEADER, DAN MANLEY, LED THE MASKED MOB STRAIGHT AT HYDE BURNWELL.' AND BURNWELL'S FIRST SHOT THUNDERED INTO THE PACK..



AND OTHER RIDERS RACED ACROSS THE PRAIRIE TO RENDEZVOUS AT 'DOBEY HILL.' A CAVALRY PLATOON...

LATER, AFTER THE LAST OF THE DOGGO GANG HAD BEEN MANACLED...


YOU MUST'VE REALLY WORKED TO DEVELOP THE WAY YOU DID.' THE SIX-GUN SPEED, YOUR RIFLE MAGIC...
I HAD REASONS, DIDN'T I.? NOW, THEY'RE FINISHED, I CAN BEGIN TO LIVE LIKE A HUMAN BEING.'
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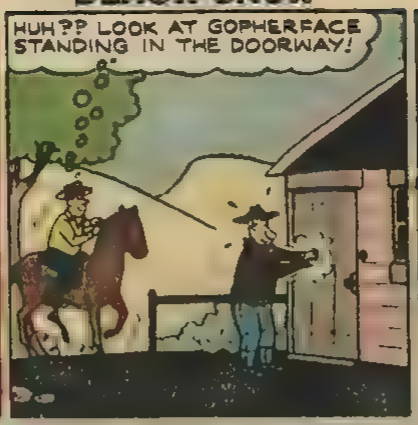
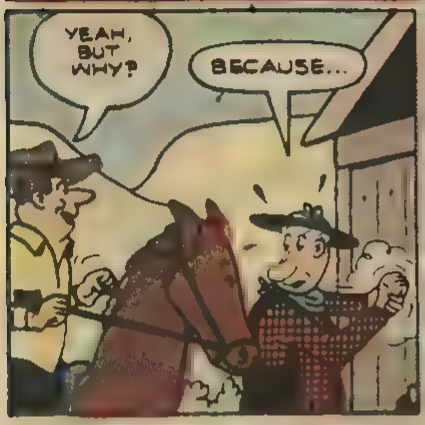
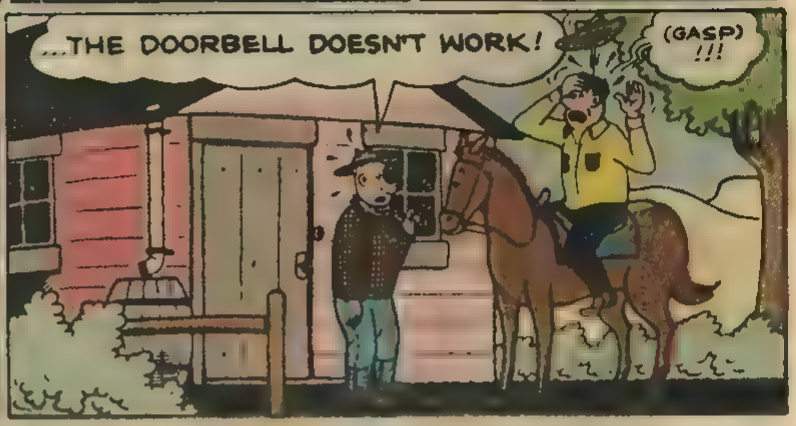
HIS NECK SHOULD BE WRUNG!

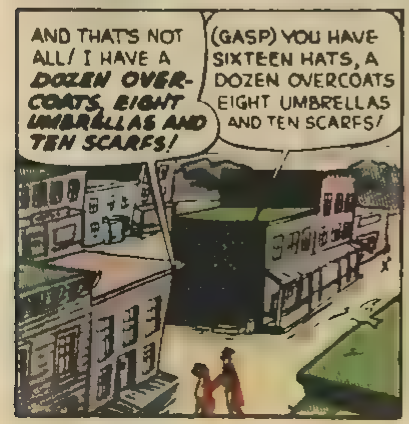






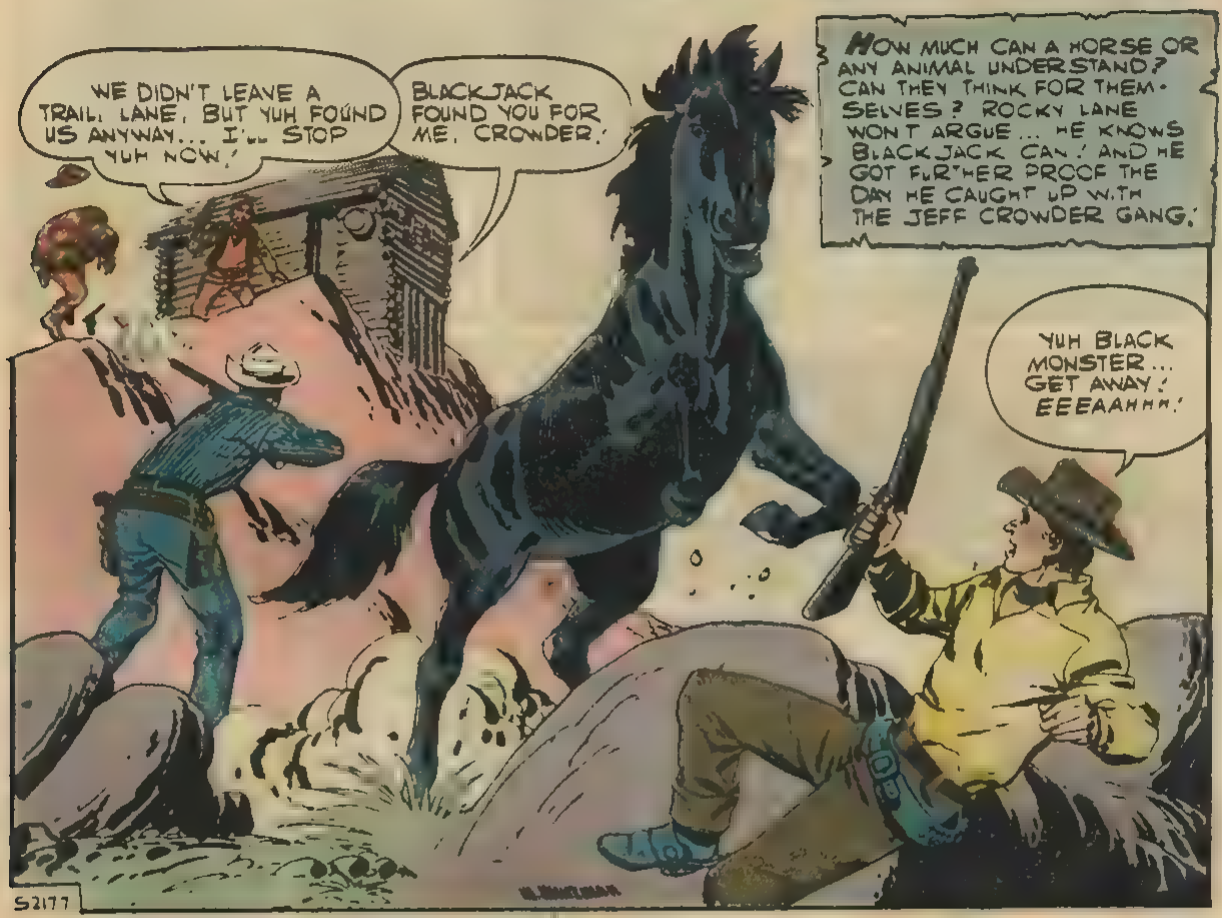
CLOTHES PLENTY PICKENS

HELLO, PICKENS! SAY, THIS IS THE THIRD TIME THIS WEEK I'VE SEEN YOU, AND YOU'VE BEEN WEARING A DIFFERENT HAT EACH TIME!
THAT'S RIGHT!


AND THAT'S NOT ALL! I HAVE A DOZEN OVERCOATS, EIGHT UMBRELLAS AND TEN SCARFS!
(GASP) YOU HAVE SIXTEEN HATS, A DOZEN OVERCOATS EIGHT UMBRELLAS AND TEN SCARFS!

ROCKY LANE'S BLACK JACK

in HORSE SENSE


WE DIDN'T LEAVE A TRAIL, LANE. BUT YUH FOUND US ANYWAY... I'LL STOP YUH NOW!
BLACKJACK FOUND YOU FOR ME, CROWDER!
HOW MUCH CAN A HORSE OR ANY ANIMAL UNDERSTAND? CAN THEY THINK FOR THEMSELVES? ROCKY LANE WON'T ARGUE... HE KNOWS BLACKJACK CAN! AND HE GOT FURTHER PROOF THE DAY HE CAUGHT UP WITH THE JEFF CROWDER GANG!
YUH BLACK MONSTER... GET AWAY! EEEAAHHH!
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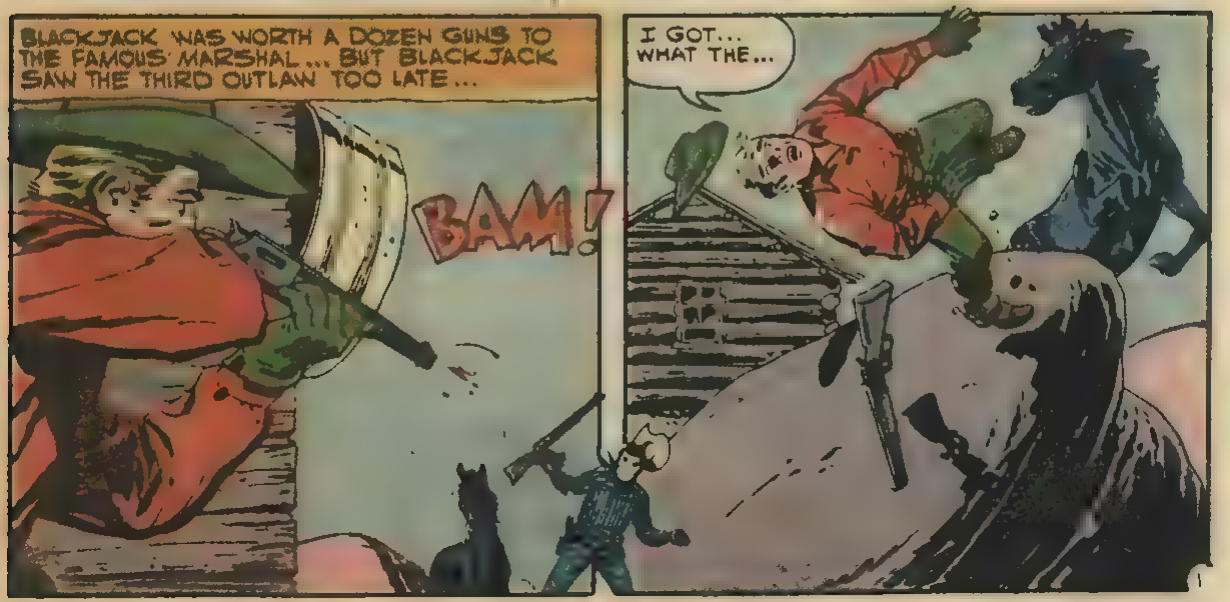
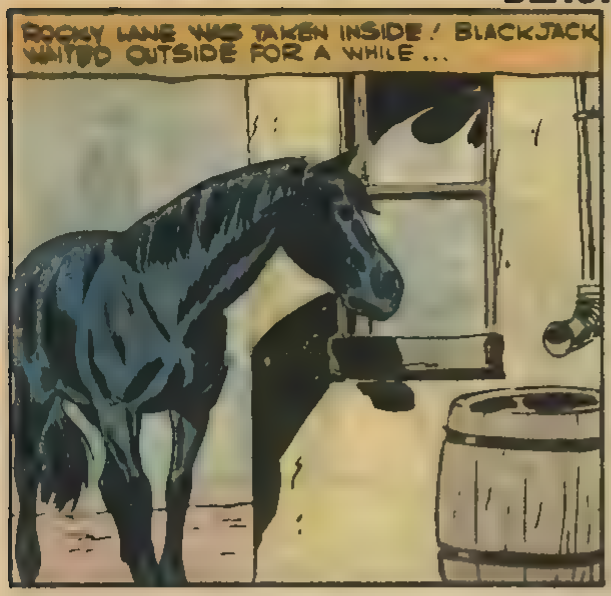
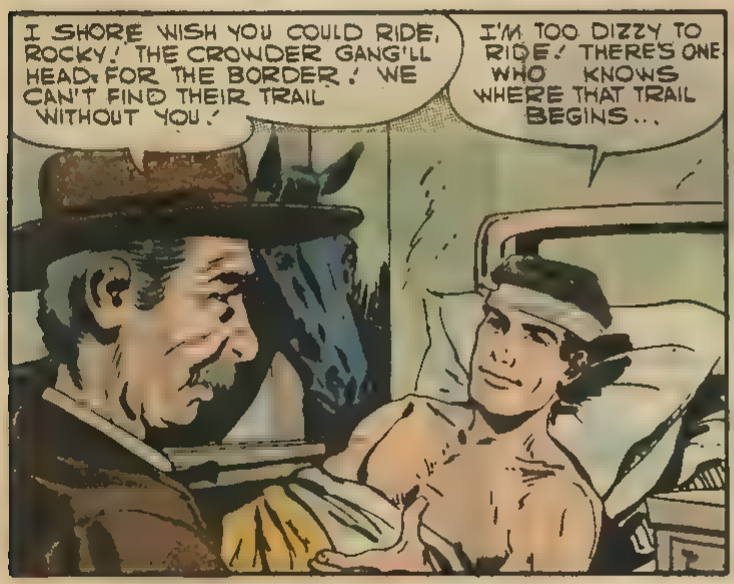


BLACK JACK

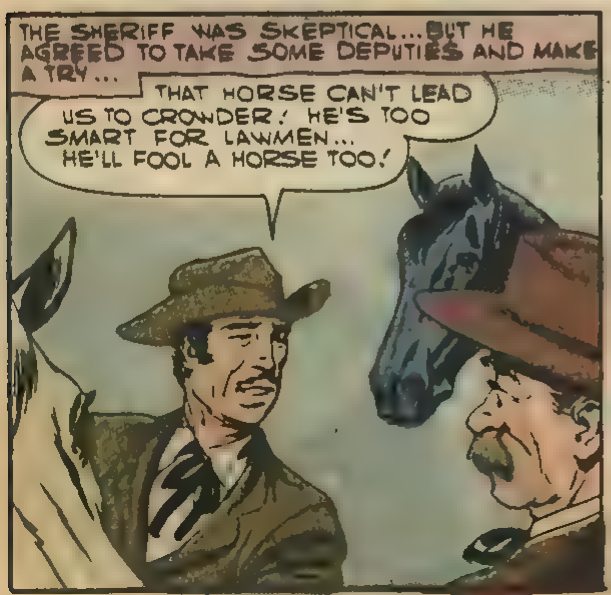
CROWDER PANICKED AT THE SIGHT OF THE BLAZING RED EYES .
AND THEN IT WAS QUIET! QUIET BUT FOR BLACKJACK'S QUESTIONING WHICKER OVER HIS FALLEN MASTER...
HEAD HURTS. AHH .. THAT FEELS GOOD.
THANKS, BLACKJACK! YUH SAVED MY HIDE! I STILL FEEL WOBBLY!
ROCKY LANE PASSED OUT WHEN HE TRIED TO MOUNT! BLACKJACK KNELT FOR HIS MASTER...
THAT'S ... GOOD... PARD! GO FIND TOWN!
IT'S ROCKY LANE! SOMEONE GET A DOCTOR WHILE I HELP HIM INSIDE!

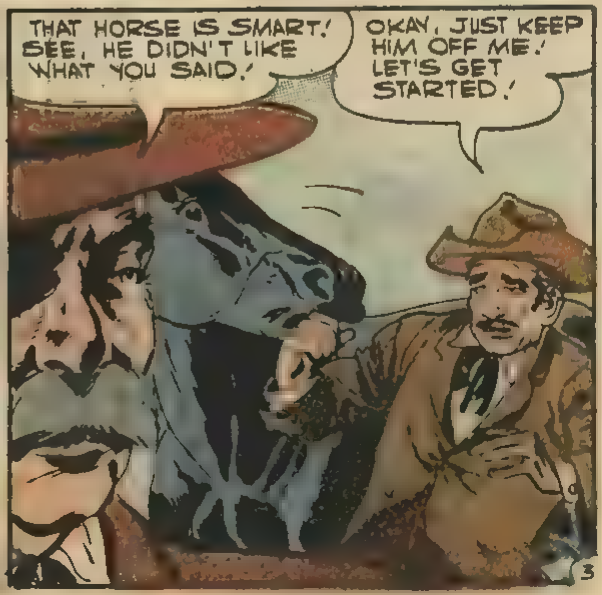

ROCKY LANE WAS TAKEN INSIDE! BLACKJACK WAITED OUTSIDE FOR A WHILE...

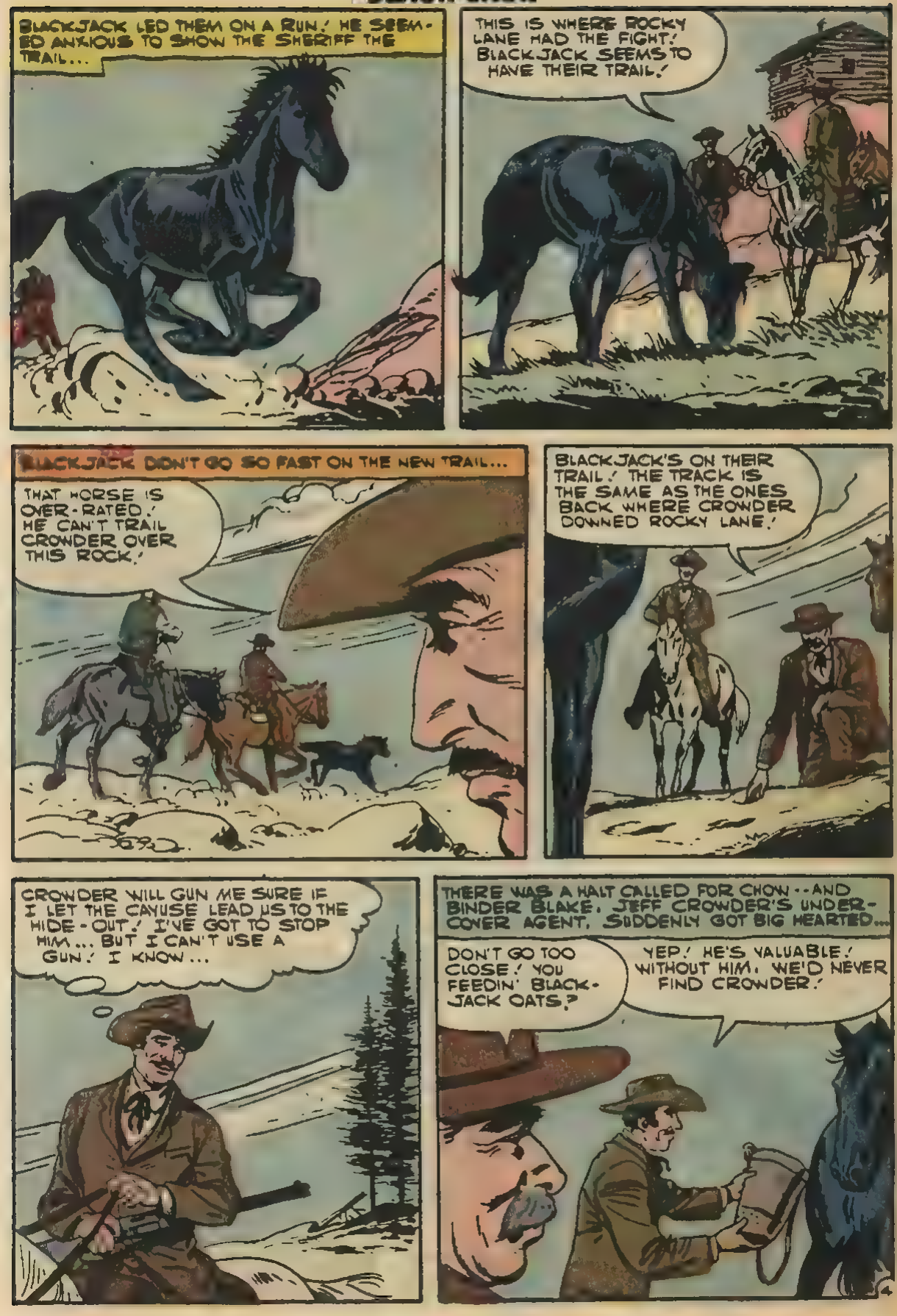
...THEN HE TOOK A LOOK FOR HIMSELF..
HOWDY, PARD! I'M OKAY NOW...THANKS TO YOU!


I SHORE WISH YOU COULD RIDE, ROCKY! THE CROWDER GANG'LL HEAD FOR THE BORDER! WE CAN'T FIND THEIR TRAIL WITHOUT YOU!
I'M TOO DIZZY TO RIDE! THERE'S ONE WHO KNOWS WHERE THAT TRAIL BEGINS...

...AND CAN TRAIL CROWDER, BLACKJACK!


THE SHERIFF WAS SKEPTICAL...BUT HE AGREED TO TAKE SOME DEPUTIES AND MAKE A TRY...
THAT HORSE CAN'T LEAD US TO CROWDER! HE'S TOO SMART FOR LAWMEN... HE'LL FOOL A HORSE TOO!


THAT HORSE IS SMART! SEE, HE DIDN'T LIKE WHAT YOU SAID!
OKAY, JUST KEEP HIM OFF ME! LET'S GET STARTED!


BLACKJACK LED THEM ON A RUN.' HE SEEMED ANXIOUS TO SHOW THE SHERIFF THE TRAIL...
THIS IS WHERE ROCKY LANE HAD THE FIGHT.' BLACKJACK SEEMS TO HAVE THEIR TRAIL.'
BLACKJACK DON'T GO SO FAST ON THE NEW TRAIL...
THAT HORSE IS OVER-RATED.' HE CAN'T TRAIL CROWDER OVER THIS ROCK.'
BLACKJACK'S ON THEIR TRAIL.' THE TRACK IS THE SAME AS THE ONES BACK WHERE CROWDER DOWNED ROCKY LANE.'
CROWDER WILL GUN ME SURE IF I LET THE CAYUSE LEAD US TO THE HIDE-OUT.' I'VE GOT TO STOP HIM... BUT I CAN'T USE A GUN.' I KNOW...
THERE WAS A HALT CALLED FOR CHOW--AND BINDER BLAKE, JEFF CROWDER'S UNDERCOVER AGENT, SUDDENLY GOT BIG HEARTED...
DON'T GO TOO CLOSE.' YOU FEEDIN' BLACKJACK OATS?
YEP.' HE'S VALUABLE.' WITHOUT HIM, WE'D NEVER FIND CROWDER.'

YOGI BERRA HOMERS IN THE 9th - WINS BIG GAME!

CRACK!

GIVEN!

BOYS! GIRLS! LADIES! MEN!

WE GIVE YOU **CASH** or **PREMIUMS**

GET A SIGNED PICTURE OF YOGI BERRA FREE!.. PLUS FREE "PUZZLES" MAIL COUPON

Yogi Berra

MAY WE HAVE YOUR AUTOGRAPH, MR. BERRA?

SURE- CLUB HOUSE

GEE! WISH WE COULD GET SWELL GIFTS LIKE THAT!

TAKE IT FROM ME, KIDS, THE EASIEST WAY OF ALL FOR YOU TO GET SWELL GIFTS OR CASH IS BY SELLING WHITE CLOVERINE BRAND SALVE!

GOSH! LOOK AT ALL THOSE GIFTS YOGI IS GETTING FROM THE FANS!

CONGRATULATIONS ON "YOGI BERRA NIGHT!"

YOGI WAS RIGHT! LOOK AT ALL THE WONDERFUL PREMIUMS WE EARNED SELLING WHITE CLOVERINE BRAND SALVE!

WOW! I'M GONNA SELL SOME OF THAT SALVE TOO!

-SO BETTY AND BOB TOOK YOGI'S ADVICE AND MAILED IN THE COUPON

YES, I'LL TAKE FOUR BOXES-

ELVIS PRESLEY GUITAR WITH AUTOMATIC CHORD PLAYER

ACT NOW

CHROME WRIST WATCH

BICYCLE LAMP

ROY ROGERS FLASH CAMERA

CATCHER'S MITT

BASEBALL AND BAT

BIKES SKATES

ELECTRIC POP UP TOASTER

FIELDER'S TEN LITTLE GLOVE

DON'T DELAY

SOLD BY AGENTS AND MANY STORES EVERYWHERE

CLOVERINE BRAND SALVE

PRICELESS

Guaranteed by Good Housekeeping

OUR 63rd YEAR

PENCIL POUCH

BASEBALL

WE TRUST YOU

DON'T DELAY

ACT NOW

BE FIRST!

WALLETS

PEN AND PENCIL SETS

FOOTBALLS

PENCIL SHARPENERS DOLLS

PEARLS

FLASHLIGHTS

22-CALIBRE RIFLES

000 SHOT BARIST AIR RIFLES

SWIM MASKS

SWIM FINS WALLETS

BLANKETS TELESCOPES

ACT NOW BOW & ARROW SETS

ALARM CLOCK

TYPEWRITERS

CHICKEN AUTOMINUM WARE

ELECTRIC DEEP FRYERS WRIST WATCHES

JEWEL BOXES CAKE PAN TUBE OF TOWELS

MAIL THIS COUPON, KIDS, AND GET MY PICTURE!

EXTRA! EXTRA!

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FREE! *Yogi Berra Picture! Exciting "Puzzles"!*

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WE TRUST YOU!

GET YOUR YOGI BERRA PICTURE AND "PUZZLES"!

OUR 63rd YEAR

MAIL NOW!

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NAME..... AGE.....

ST..... R.D..... BOX.....

TOWN..... ZONE NO..... STATE.....

PRINT LAST NAME HERE

Paste coupon on postal card or mail in envelope today

OUR 63rd YEAR-WE ARE RELIABLE

WILSON CHEMICAL CO., Dept. 99-C Tyrone, Pa.

BUT BLAKE WASN'T GENEROUS -- HE WAS USING WOLF POISON IN THE OATS...
HOLD STILL, YUH BLACK DEVIL.'
THIS IS POISONED GRAIN, BLAKE.' YUH TRIED TUH KILL BLACKJACK.' I'LL TAKE YORE GUN.'
BEFORE THE SHERIFF COULD STOP HIM, BLAKE MOUNTED AND RODE AWAY...
HE'LL BE GONE BEFORE YUH CAN SADDLE UP.' HE'LL WARN CROWDER.'
THAT BLACK HORSE AIN'T GIVIN' UP.' SADDLE UP-- WE'LL FOLLOW HIM.'
SOMEONE'S COMIN', JEFF.' WAIT... IT'S A HORSE.' NO ONE'S RIDIN' HIM.'

BLACK JACK

IT'S LANE'S HORSE! WE'D BETTER RUN FOR IT, JEFF!
YUH LOCO? WE'LL STAY WHERE WE ARE! NO HORSE CAN SCARE ME!
NO HORSE EVER HAD FRIGHTENED CROWDER... BUT BLACK JACK WAS DIFFERENT...
YUH FOOLS, DRIVE HIM OFF! HE'S ONLY A... AAAHHHH!
LOOK OUT, HE'S RUNNIN' OFF OUR HORSES!
BLACKJACK COULDN'T BE STOPPED! THE SHERIFF ARRIVED--AND FOUND BLACKJACK PERSONALLY GUARDING ONE MAN, BINDER BLAKE...
I'LL CONFESS, SHERIFF... I'LL DO ANYTHING TO GET AWAY FROM HIM!
YUH WON'T GET AWAY, BLAKE! HE'LL SEE YUH GET TO THE JAIL!
LATER, IN TOWN... ROCKY LANE WAS ON HIS FEET, WAITING...
THAT BLACK IS DANGEROUS! YUH OUGHTA GET RID OF HIM!
HE'S DANGEROUS TO MEN LIKE YOU! HE'S WORTH A DOZEN DEPUTIES TUH ME!
END

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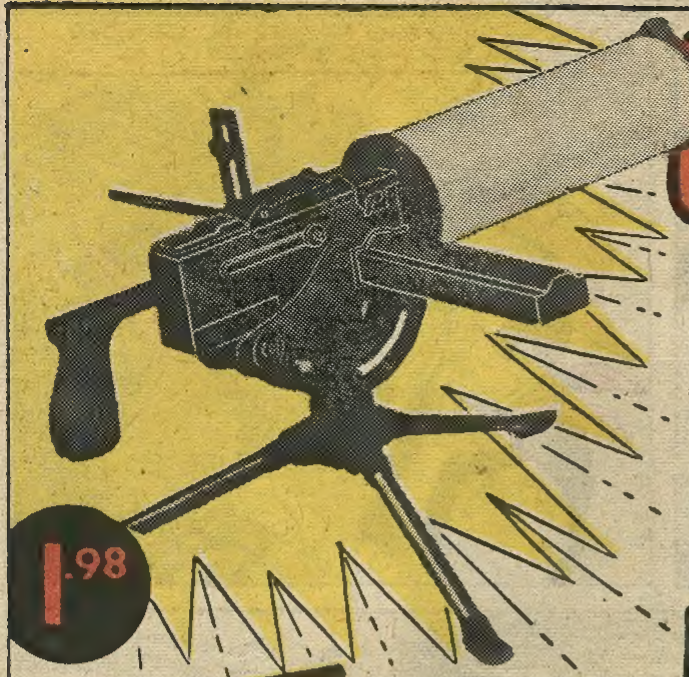

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A full size target comes to you along with your exciting Tripod Machine Gun. Just like the army training program, you too can acquire great shooting skill, till in no time you'll be hitting the mark with deadly accuracy. But don't delay! Order now. Only $1.98 plus 37c shipping charges.

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Name _____

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